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#### OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

## **COMMISSIONS**

## **ABSENCES OF THE GOVERNOR, 1920-**

*Abstract*: Notification of absences (1920-2009) of the governor from the state or country and filed with the secretary of state.

Extent: 0.8 cubic ft. (2 legal-size Hollinger boxes)

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Arrangement: Chronologically by date filed

### **Scope and Content**

The series consists of the notification of the absence of the governor from the state or country, under Article IV, Section 11(a), Constitution of Missouri. Notification is required only when the governor is *effectively* absent and relinquishes power to the lieutenant governor. Most of the time, the governor retains power when out of state. The series includes two absences of then Lt. Gov. Mel Carnahan in 1990 and 1991.

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Location	Box	Folder	Contents
10A/5/5	1	1	Jan 28, 1921 - July 23, 1927
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10A/5/5	1	3	Jan 16, 1937 - Dec 20, 1938
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10A/5/5	1	5	Jan 25, 1940 - Dec 31, 1940
10A/5/5	1	6	Sept 29, 1941- June 22, 1956
10A/5/5	1	7	Jan 17, 1957 - Nov 9, 1960
10A/5/5	1	8	Jan 17, 1961 - Dec 23, 1963
10A/5/5	1	9	Jan 20, 1964 - Dec 14, 1964
10A/5/5	1	10	Jan 15, 1956 - Dec 27, 1965
10A/5/5	1	11	Jan 21, 1966 - Dec 18, 1967
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10A/5/5	1	15	Jan 13, 1972 - Dec 26, 1973
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10A/5/5	1	17	Jan 13, 1976 - Nov 18, 1977
10A/5/5	1	18	Jan 30, 1978 - Jan 5, 1981
10A/5/5	1	19	Jan 14, 1981 - Dec 28, 1984
10A/5/5	2	1	Feb 18, 1985 - Dec 14, 1988
10A/5/5	2	2	Jan 3, 1989 - Jan 4, 1991
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10A/5/5	2	4	1993

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10A/5/5	2	7	1996
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10A/5/5	2	10	1999
10A/5/5	2	11	2000
10A/5/5	2	12	2001
10A/5/5	2	13	2002
10A/5/5	2	14	2003
10A/5/5	2	15	2005
10A/5/5	2	16	2006
10A/5/5	2	17	2007
10A/5/5	2	18	2008
10A/5/5	2	19	2009 (Legal Correspondence)